

HALTOM BROTHERS CO. PONS

Bring You Rich Valuables Free!

The day that Haltom Bros. Coupons reached town a new opportunity was opened up to the people! For now you can save Haltom Bros. Coupons--And Take Your Choice of Hundreds of Useful and Valuable Articles Without One Cent of Cost to You! Each day more people trade with stores giving Haltom Bros. Coupons--each day the readers of this paper can take the pick of the valuables offered for Haltom Bros. Coupons.

Stores Giving Haltom Bros. Coupons Sell For Less Money

Yes, that is the real truth about Haltom Bros. Coupons! And the reason is this: The more business you do in any line of merchandising, the less profits you have to make on each particular sale.

Instead of making a big profit on a few small sales, the merchant giving Haltom Bros. Coupons makes a little profit on many sales.

And Haltom Bros. Coupons make business grow--thousands of people are trading only with stores giving Haltom Bros. Coupons and thus the live merchants get more trade and sell for less.

Like good judicious advertising, Haltom Bros. Coupons brings the trade.

They help the live merchants and they help you Mr., Mrs. and Miss Buyer!

Ask These Live Merchants for Haltom Bros. Coupons

These firms are striving to serve you better each day. Their goods are of the best quality at lowest prices and they give you Coupons FREE.

Every time you make a purchase, make sure you get your coupons. Read this list carefully.

At Houston.

Tabb Bros. The Hummer D. D. Tabb
Dulaney-Tabb Hardware Company

At Houlika.

Houlika Hardware and Furniture Company
Cash Grocery Company

At Vardaman.

J. D. Richardson & Co. Whittle & Young
Vardaman Hardware Company.

There is No Chance---No Risk to Haltom Bros. Coupon Savers

You do not have to enter any contest, you do not have to pay any money for the Coupons--you do not have to guess nor gamble.

But with each purchase you make for cash of any merchant giving Haltom Bros. Coupons, YOU GET, FREE, A NUMBER OF COUPONS--THE NUMBER DEPENDING UPON THE AMOUNT OF YOUR PURCHASE.

Then you simply keep the coupons and when you have enough to secure the article or articles you desire mail them in and the article will be sent you FREE.

There is no monkey business about Haltom Bros. Coupons. The live merchants in this and other communities are giving them because they want your trade and know you want the coupons.

A. N. HALTOM CO. Memphis Tennessee

Everybody is Saving Them. Get busy now. Be a Pioneer.

A Plain Open Letter. Read It Carefully.

DEAR MADAM:-

This letter is a MESSAGE TO YOU. And by message we mean something worth while. We shall send out lots of these messages as we believe it is something in which every woman should be interested.

Is there any article that you want very badly and don't feel that you can be extravagant enough to buy? We ask this on the presumption that a housekeeper and all housekeepers are on the alert for beautiful things for their homes.

How would you like an Aluminum Roaster set with baking pan and egg cups; a Vacuum Cleaner; a set of dishes a fireless cooker; an Aluminum Cooker; an Aluminum Percolator or elegant toys for your children? The things wanted are too numerous to mention here, so we inclose a catalog for you to inspect further.

All these things listed in our catalog can be secured with HALTOM BROS. COUPONS and you get these coupons by trading with the merchants who give them.

Now our plan is this; get ten or more ladies in your neighborhood to band together to save coupons. In other words, start a "HALTOM CLUB". (It is so easy to get these presents FREE as you have to buy Groceries, meats Dry Goods, Etc. anyway.) You could then put all your coupons together arrange among yourselves some way to decide on which one of you is to get the premium that month and that one send in all the coupons and get one or as many articles as she wants. Then the next month would be some one else's turn and in this way one of you will get a handsome present each month, probably far handsomer than had she saved the whole ten months alone.

As a suggestion, these meetings could be made of a social nature or could be in connection with a Sewing Club. You could make many additions you might like, this is just an idea of ours.

Or suppose you form a club in the interests of your church and each one of the ten would interest four others. It would amaze you how soon you will be able to secure extra things you have long wanted for your church or parsonage.

We don't want you to feel that you must START or JOIN a club to get the benefits of these coupons. You could save them alone and get the premiums wanted when you have accumulated the required number. We are sending out lovely things every day to people who have saved the coupons alone. All the ladies are interested in this and if you would like any further information or sug-

gestions, write us. It's no trouble to answer questions. It will be your benefit. You can't afford to overlook this opportunity to get these handsome premiums ABSOLUTELY FREE.

Yours truly,
A. N. HALTOM COMPANY.

The Cotton Situation.

The cotton situation is a very interesting one, owing to the political complications in which it is involved. From the outbreak of the war up to March last, Great Britain offered no objections to the shipment of cotton from the United States to Germany direct, but since proclaiming the blockade in March, has been stopping shipments even to neutral ports where there was reason to believe that the ultimate destination was Germany. Great Britain is understood to be willing to buy; in addition to her usual supplies, all the cotton that Germany and Austria-Hungary usually take, and allow the usual supplies to go forward to Holland and the Scandinavian countries for their own consumption if the controversy can be settled in that way, but while this might be satisfactory from a business standpoint it will not be acceptable to everybody as a determination of the rights involved.

The usual takings of cotton by Germany and Austria-Hungary are something over two and a half million bales, but much of this is used in manufactures for exports, which next year presumably will be used elsewhere. The use of cotton in the manufacture of explosives is also a considerable factor.

The outlook for financing the crop from producer's hands is better than last year, for there is plenty of money in this country to handle it, if proper warehousing facilities are provided. Ordinarily, the requirements for the year are exported early in the season, it being cheaper to carry the staple abroad than here, but this year the foreign exchange situation is likely to delay the movement. Foreign buyers will probably protect themselves by storing cotton over here or by buying futures in this market.

There is agreement that the South has produced this crop on a lower basis of costs than usual, and it has also produced a much larger grain crop than ever before, and will be more nearly self-supporting for the coming year. Credit has been restricted and economy has been practiced, with the result that the South will come into possession of its crop this year with a smaller indebtedness against it than ever before. Altogether, considering the possible benefits of crop diversification in the future, it looks as though we had turned a threatened calamity into a blessing, but would prefer not to deal with any further adverse conditions at present.--Ecru Enterprise.

Ferguson & Palmer Company LUMBER

Suitable for Rough Farm Buildings.

Notice of Tax Sale.

State of Mississippi,
Chickasaw County.

By virtue of an order of Board of Supervisors of Chickasaw County, Mississippi, ordering the land described below to be sold for taxes for the year 1914, the same having been delinquent for taxes for that year, and not sold at the regular time for selling lands for taxes, notice is hereby given that the same will be sold under said order of the Board of Supervisors, and also under Section 4367, Code of 1906, for taxes for said year with all costs of such sale, and damages allowed by law; on the
First Monday, the 6th day of September 1915.

in front of the Court house door in the Town of Houston, Mississippi.

Below will be found a list of such lands to be sold
Chewawha Drainage District
J. L. Beckham--10 acres N. E. corner, S. W. 1-4 of the N. W. 1-4, Section 1, Township 15, Range 2, Drainage Tax--\$2.50, Sheriff's Fees--\$1.50, Clerk's Fee--60 cents Printers Fee--20 cents, Total \$4.80.

Schooner Drainage District.
Hall and Robertson--N. W. 1-4, Section 7, Township 12, Range 2, Drainage Tax--\$80.00, Sheriff's Fee \$9.75, Clerk's Fee--60 cents, Printer Free--20, Total Tax--\$90.05.

H. L. Harrington, Sheriff.

"Write Me Today."

I buy and sell Lands, and Exchange Merchandise for lands.
W. H. GRIFFIN
P. O. Box 145 - Houlika, Miss.

Notice to Contractors.

State of Mississippi,
Chickasaw County.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of said county and State, will, on Monday the 6th day of Sept., 1915, receive sealed bids within legal hours, at the Court House in the Town of Houston, Miss., for the construction of the following bridges.

1 60 foot steel bridge on the Houlika and Schooner Valley Road.
1 50 foot steel bridge on the Houston and Okolona Road.
1 30 foot steel bridge on the Houston and Okolona road.
1 20 foot steel bridge on the Center Hill Road.
1 30 foot steel bridge on the Center Hill Road.
1 200 foot steel bridge on the Egypt and Buena Vista Road.
1 16 foot steel bridge on the Atlanta and Woodland Road.
1 40 foot steel bridge on the Ross Hill Road.

All to be built according to plans and specifications on file with the Chancery Clerk at Houston, Miss. The Board to let the contract to the lowest responsible bidder but reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for \$500.00.

Witness my signature this the 8th day of July, 1915.

H. E. Brannon, Clerk

Thoroughbred O. I. C. pigs for sale at reasonable prices.

J. E. Hill.